GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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OPTIONS FOR CGHS BENEFICIARIES
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal under consideration of the Government to give option to CGHS beneficiaries to consult reputed doctors locally and purchase medicines direct instead of visiting CGHS dispensaries where medicines prescribed are not available generally and doctors generally are not in their seats; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA)

a)&(b): There is no proposal to give option to CGHS beneficiaries to consult reputed doctors locally and purchase medicines directly instead of visiting CGHS dispensaries.